IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH.

Crl. Misc. No. 55480-M of 2006

DATE OF DECISION : 12.09.2006

Thuru Ram alias Thur Singh

.... PETITIONER

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..... RESPONDENTS

CORAM :- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SATISH KUMAR MITTAL

Present: Mr. Rajeev Dev Sharma, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

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Petitioner Thuru Ram alias Thur Singh has filed this petition under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for issuing direction for handing over investigation of case FIR no. 53 dated 9.3.2006 under Sections 307/325/324/323/447/511/148/149 IPC, registered at Police Station Sadar Pathankot, District Gurdaspur, to CBI or some independent agency.

It has been stated in the petition that the police is not fairly investigating the matter and till date, even the accused have not been arrested and final report has not been submitted. However, in the petition, no specific allegation of malafide or bias has been alleged against the local police.

After hearing counsel for the petitioner and keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the case, I do not find the instant case a fit case for transfer of investigation to some other agency. However, the investigating agency is directed to expedite the investigation and conclude the same expeditiously, preferably within a period of six months.

Dismissed with the aforesaid observations.

September 12, 2006 **(SATISH KUMAR MITTAL)**
ndj **JUDGE**